GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA

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NEW RAIL LINE BETWEEN LANGIGARH TO JUNAGARH
Deo Shri Bikram Keshari

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether a broad gauge railway line is being constructed from Langigarh Road to Junagarh in the district of Kalahandi;

(b) if so, the total cost of the project and the time by which it is likely to be completed;

(c) whether the Railways have conducted any survey for construction of Railway line from Junagarh to Ambaguda under East Coast Railway Zone;

(d) if so, the details thereof; and

(e) the time by which the construction is likely to be started?

Answer

MINISTER OF THE STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI R. VELU)

(a): Yes, Sir.

(b): The latest sanctioned cost of Lanjigarh Road−Junagarh (56 Kms) new line project is Rs. 142.98 crore. Lanjigarh−Bhawanipatna (31 Kms) section is targeted for completion during 2008−09.

(c) & (d): No survey has been done in the recent past.

(e): Does not arise as the project is not sanctioned.